



COMMISSION ON CIVIL RIGHTS

Notice of Public Meetings of the Texas Advisory Committee

AGENCY: U.S. Commission on Civil Rights

ACTION: Announcement of meeting.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the provisions of the rules and regulations of the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights (Commission) and the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA) that meetings of the Texas Advisory Committee (Committee) to the Commission will be held at 12:00 p.m. (Central Time), Wednesday, March 21, 2018; 1:00 p.m. (Central Time), Wednesday, April 18, 2018; 1:00 p.m. (Central Time), Wednesday, May 9, 2018; and 1:00 p.m. (Central Time), Wednesday, May 30, 2018. The purpose of these meetings is for the Committee to discuss findings and recommendations for an advisory memorandum on voting rights in the state.

DATES: These meetings will be held on Wednesday, March 21, 2018 at 12:00 p.m.; Wednesday, April 18, 2018 at 1:00 p.m.; Wednesday, May 9, 2018 at 1:00 p.m.; and Wednesday, May 30, 2018 at 1:00 p.m. Central Time.

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Agenda:

- I. Welcome
- II. Approve minutes from previous meeting date

III. Discuss advisory memorandum

IV. Public Comment

V. Next Steps

VI. Adjournment

Dated: February 23, 2018.

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